**TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY - CORPUS CHRISTI**

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**CENTER FOR ACADEMIC STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT**

**GLASSCOCK STUDENT SUCCESS CENTER, (361) 825-5933**

***First Islander Scholars’ Academy Mentor Application***

**General** **Requirements**: You must be a First Generation Student (first in family to attend college). All applicants must have a **3.0 overall GPA**, excellent communication skills, and knowledge/first hand experience regarding university services to be considered for employment. **References are required**. At least two references must be faculty.

Please return all Application materials to: **Dr. Ken Billings** / [kendrick.billings@tamucc.edu](mailto:kendrick.billings@tamucc.edu)

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**Applying for**: First Islander Scholars’ Academy (FISA) Mentor

1. **General Information:**

Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Student ID\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Local Address\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: Home ( ) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Cell ( ) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been employed by TAMU-CC? Yes No If yes, dates\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently employed? \_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_No If yes, hours per week\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Place of Employment\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: ( )\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do you qualify for financial assistance? \_\_\_\_grant \_\_\_\_scholarship \_\_\_\_work study

How did you hear about this job? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Major\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Classification: \_\_\_\_Freshman \_\_\_\_Sophomore

\_\_\_\_Junior \_\_\_\_Senior

Minor\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_Graduate \_\_\_\_Other

Expected Date of Graduation\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Hours Completed \_\_\_\_\_\_ Hours Currently Enrolled\_\_\_\_

1. **Educational Background: You must provide a Transcript**.

List all colleges/universities attended (most recent first).

Name of Institution­­­­ \_ Dates\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Hours\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Current GPA\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Do you hold a degree? \_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_No

If yes, in what area(s)? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**III. University Knowledge**

List university services you have knowledge about.

1. 2.

3. 4.

**IV. Work Experience** (Indicate current work first. Note - we will call to verify information)

Date Worked Employer Job Title/Duties Supervisor Phone

**VI. Organizations** - Membership in any on or off campus organizations (including offices **Please answer the following:**

1. Describe a situation where you have mentored a friend or a family member?

2. What services would you have liked to receive as a first generation student during your freshman year and throughout your studies?

3. What do you think you can contribute to CASA?

4. What do you feel should be the role of an FISA Mentor?

All information must be completed for application to be considered. I hereby certify that the above information is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the CASA staff will check references in order to verify information. I authorize CASA to use photographs of my image for the website or for any other university promotional purpose. If I am selected, the CASA staff will review my work at the end of each semester. If my evaluation indicates a poor performance or if I do not maintain a 3.0 GPA, I will be dismissed. I will perform to the best of my ability in assisting other students, and any other duties assigned to me by the CASA staff.

Signature\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate all possible times you **are available** to work by marking the boxes.

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| Time | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Sunday |
| 8:00 - 9:00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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Applicant\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Tutoring Area/Position\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**How long and in what capacity have you know the applicant?**

**Please rate the following items: 1-Not Observed 2 -Poor 3-Fair 4-Good 5-Excellent**

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\_\_\_\_\_\_ 14. Knowledge of university resources and services

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**Comments:** (for additional space a page may be added)

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